

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**AMENDMENT A**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time in the above-identified application, to make this reply timely.

In response to the Office Action mailed October 26, 2007, as entered in the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendment and response.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.